### PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For:

METHOD OF COMBINING AT LEAST TWO RECEIVED SIGNALS OF A

TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM

### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 1, delete everything above the title in its entirety.

after the title, delete "Specification" and insert the heading

# **BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

Page 2, after line 10 (not counting paragraph spacing), insert the heading

### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Page 4, after line 19, insert the heading

### BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

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